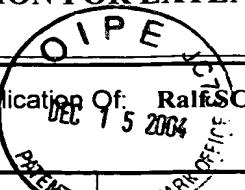


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.
A-8659

In Re Application Of: **Ralf SCHWENGER and Udo MUNSTER**



Application No. & TRADEMARK REF.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
10/624,903	July 23, 2003	Raleigh W. Chu	20741	3711	6745

Invention: **BALL GAME RACKET**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of June 16, 2004 in the above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: September 16, 2004 *Date* until: December 16, 2004 *Date*

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is \$510 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-2455
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 08-2455
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.


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Dated: Dec. 15, 2004

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